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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Attorney Docket No. 2003\_1406  
Yasunobu HORIE et al. : **Confirmation No. 2140**  
Serial No. 10/691,433 : Group Art Unit 1796  
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**RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This is responsive to the Official Action dated October 1, 2009.

Applicants acknowledge with thanks the Examiner's indication that claims 1-4 and 21-23 are allowable over the prior art.

Submitted herewith is a Supplemental Oath/Declaration executed by all the inventors in conformance with U.S. practice.

In view of the foregoing, it is believed that the rejection of the claims as being based upon a defective reissue Declaration is now overcome and that allowance of the application is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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